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In response to the Notice of missing requirements dated September 6, 2005, the declaration executed by the inventors is submitted with this paper. A copy of the Notice is also attached.

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- Copy of the International Application filed on 04/28/2005
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- Copy of IPE Report filed on 04/28/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 04/28/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 04/28/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 04/28/2005
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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

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